

## NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

History of General Interest Gathered by Our Reporters.

### PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen Told in Short Paragraphs So That "We Who Run May Read" It in The Sun.

#### From Sunday's Daily Sun:

Get your seed Irish potatoes for fall planting at G. S. Merchant & Co's.

Miss Gage of Jacksonville and J. S. Bailey of Newberry were in the city on business yesterday.

Friends of A. E. Whitlock are glad to see him out again, after an illness of a couple of weeks with fever.

Chas. C. Spurgeon and Thomas Shumaker of White were business visitors to the county capital yesterday.

From Chas. A. prominent naval stores operator of Beil, was transacting business in Gainesville yesterday.

J. S. Shanks has purchased a pair of fine black horses which are among the best in the county and finest in this section of the country.

Mr. L. J. Burdick and children have returned from Daytona Beach, where they have been enjoying the winter season for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Duke have returned from Ocala, N. C., where they have been for the past two months. They report a delightful and beneficial trip.

A. S. Brown, postmaster at Brimley, was in town yesterday and made the city a pleasant call. He is also engaged in the mercantile business, and reports a good trade.

Miss J. W. Almy and niece, Miss Marie Shumaker, have gone to Daytona Beach, where they will spend a few days enjoying the exhilarating atmosphere and sea bathing.

A. H. Brown, formerly a prominent banker in the Lake Wales section but for the past several years a resident in Jacksonville, was receiving Gainesville acquaintances yesterday.

A. S. Gay and H. E. Harris, the naval stores operators of Micanopy, were business visitors to this city yesterday. The latter proceeded to Jacksonville on the afternoon train.

Miss B. E. Baker and Miss Blanche Brown have returned from a delightful visit to the Jamestown Exposition and other points in the Old Dominion State. They were absent several weeks.

Col. E. C. F. Sanchez has returned from St. Augustine, where he has been for the past three weeks for the benefit of his health. His friends will be glad to learn that he is much improved.

Mrs. Esther S. Jordan and children and Mr. and Mrs. James Chesnut, Sr., have returned from Brevard, N. C., where they have spent the past few weeks in a delightful and beneficial summer.

The condition of the public road leading west to Hogtown creek is exceedingly bad in several places. "A stitch in time saves nine," is an old saying, and it is especially applicable to road work.

Charles E. D. Turner of the Dutton Bank is making extensive repairs on his home in North Gainesville, which, when completed, will make it one of the most desirable residences in that thriving section.

Miss Clara Runkle has returned from Daytona Beach, where she has been recuperating for the past three weeks. Miss Runkle was a guest of Seaside Inn, one of the swell resorts of the South Atlantic coast.

A handsome new fence adorns the front of the property of J. Fletcher Hill, West Liberty street, which will add greatly to the appearance of the same when it will have received the coat of paint which the owner proposes to give it.

J. J. Hayman, the naval stores operator of Lochloosa who owns considerable property here, is in the city on a visit to his family. Mr. Hayman keeps his family here on account of the superior educational and religious advantages.

John R. Hague and son, Marcus, of Hague, were among those who came to Gainesville Monday. While here Mr. Hague called to renew his subscription to The Sun, to which he has been a subscriber for nearly a quarter of a century.

H. M. Williams of Dutton, one of the efficient bookkeepers of the Dutton Phosphate Company, spent Sunday with friends in this city. Mr. Williams has just returned from an extended visit to the Jamestown Exposition, and reports a fine trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Tomson and three children of Dade City, after a pleasant visit to their daughter, Mrs. S. A. Ledbetter, and son, Matt. Tomson, 504 N. Garden street, have returned to their home. Mr. and Mrs. Tomson were delighted with Gainesville.

The many friends of Miss Christine Wideman, formerly of this city but now residing in Tallahassee, are delighted to welcome her again. Miss Wideman is visiting relatives, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Edwards. Her brother, Frank Wideman, is expected in the city today.

Judging from the quantity of lumber being hauled to North Gainesville, that thriving suburb is keeping up its reputation as a bustling section. There is considerable building going on in that section, among which are homes being erected by L. W. Jackson and Mr. Malphurs.

Col. I. E. Webster has received a letter from his good wife, who is spending the summer at her old home, Dunmore, Vt., to the effect that she is enjoying her visit immensely, and that the weather is delightfully cool. Friends of the lady will be pleased at this information.

Information was received in this city yesterday of the arrival of a fine girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Wind, Live Oak, Saturday night. Mrs. Wind was formerly Miss Jernigan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jernigan, of this city, and friends here extend hearty congratulations.

O. C. Toney and daughters, Misses Nina and Annie, are at home again, after a delightful visit of several weeks to their old home in Cloverport, Ky., and other points in the Blue Grass State. Friends are glad to have them home again, and glad also to know that their sojourn proved of great benefit.

W. T. Waters of Lake Simonton was in town Sunday and renewed his subscription to The Sun. He is now the possessor of probably the finest well of water in that section, the depth being 142 feet, and the water as cool as that which comes from any spring in Florida. Mr. Stevenson of Boardman drilled the well, and Mr. Waters speaks in the highest terms of his work.

Deputy Sheriff L. E. Story of Windsor was in the city Saturday. He brought a negro, Jim Williams, convicted more than a year ago in this county for whipping his wife, but who got away while the officer was taking him to camp. Williams was captured at Eau Gallie by Mr. Story, who ascertained his whereabouts and captured him without trouble. He must now serve his time.

W. W. Ellis and two children of Brooksville passed through the city en route home from Macon, Ga., where they were summoned on a sad mission—that of attending the funeral of wife and mother. Mrs. Ellis died in Atlanta Monday night, and the remains were taken to Macon, her former home, for interment. Mr. Ellis, who is a conductor on the Atlantic Coast Line, is well known in this section, and his friends extend sympathy.

It will be gratifying to the many friends of James H., the young son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fisher of North Gainesville, to learn that he is now on the road to recovery from a recent severe attack of typhoid fever in Louisiana, where he went several months ago. In a letter to his mother he states that he is now clear of fever, and that as soon as he is able he expects to go from Louisiana to Manatee, Ala., where his father and brothers are now engaged in their profession as brickmasons.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun: Mrs. J. H. Holly of Arredondo was shopping in the city yesterday.

Steve B. Cullen of Hague was transacting business in this city yesterday.

Rev. W. E. Matheson, the Methodist divine of Rochelle, spent yesterday in this city with friends.

N. P. Roberson of Williston was in the city yesterday. Mr. Roberson is a manufacturer of lumber.

Eugene S. Gauden, a well-known contractor of Eugene, was a business visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

P. A. Saunders and Drew McElvin, two well-known citizens of Albion, were business visitors to this city yesterday.

Miss Tucker Boulware left yesterday for White Springs, where she will spend a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Flowers.

Commercial Hotel, formerly run by Mrs. Dzialyski, for rent after October 1st. Newly painted inside and out. On second block from square. Apply B. A. Thrasher.

Rev. Mr. Thompson, the Methodist divine of Anthony, passed through the city yesterday en route home from Newberry, where he has been to fill his regular appointment.

Subscribers on rural free delivery routes can send in their subscriptions by the mail carriers. Persons who desire The Sun on such routes can also send money by the carriers.

The first financial statement of The Gainesville National Bank appears in today's Sun. Read it carefully and note the wonderful progress of this institution during the first month of its existence.

R. L. Beck has returned from Scholarship, Marion county, where he has been for the past two months. It is said that he expects to leave in a day or two for Eatonton, Ga., where he will in future reside.

Mrs. T. S. Dorsey left yesterday for Louisville, Ky., her former home, where she will spend a few weeks delightfully with relatives and friends. She will visit other points in that State before returning home late in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Collins and son, Malcolm, have returned from Lake Butler, where they have been on a visit to Mr. Collins' sister, Mrs. J. D. Cobb. Miss Evelyn, who was with them, proceeded to Jacksonville, where she will be the guest of friends.

Dr. J. L. Kelley has returned from Swannanoa, N. C., where he has been with his wife for the past few days. He reports a fine time, and has promised to give The Sun an account of his vacation. Friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Kelley's health is greatly improved.

A. S. Albright and family will leave today for Craneville, W. Va., their old home, where they will spend the next few weeks with relatives and friends. They will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. I. T. White, and before their return they expect to visit the Jamestown Exposition and other points.

Deputy Sheriff Walker has returned from Dunnellon, where he went to take Jim Williams, convicted in Jus-

tice Dyess' court at Campville for carrying concealed weapons and sentenced to pay a fine of \$25 and costs or three months in jail. He was unable to raise the fine, hence was sent to the mines.

H. McL. Grady of High Springs, one of the leading merchants of that thriving town, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Grady states that his friend, Geo. W. Easterlin, has recently purchased a very fine diamond, the prettiest ever seen in High Springs, and his friends are congratulating him upon his new purchase.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Chowning and the former's sister, Miss Alice Blackmore, of Hawthorn, were among the arrivals at the Brown House yesterday. Miss Blackmore, who recently arrived in the State from Virginia, has entered the county normal here, and will teach the Windsor school the coming term. She comes highly recommended as a teacher, and will no doubt make a fine success in her new position.

A. H. Emerson and family passed through the city yesterday en route to their home near Micanopy from a visit of several weeks to points in the Carolinas and other States. They first went to Hot Springs, N. C., where they remained for some time, later going to Asheville, Jamestown, Washington and Baltimore, spending a few days in the latter city with relatives. On the up home they stopped in Atlanta and Marietta, Ga., with relatives and friends for a short stay, and in all theirouting was thoroughly enjoyed.

From Thursday's Daily Sun: Stephen Merritt has gone to Tampa for a few days.

Mrs. H. Maddox of Archer was shopping in the city yesterday.

Miss Edie Reddick left yesterday for Redox on a brief visit to relatives.

Red B. Triumph seed Irish potatoes for planting at G. S. Merchant & Co.

We have horses to suit all classes and kind of work. Give us a call. Crawford Davis.

L. H. H. and son of Orange Heights were among those who spent yesterday the county capital.

S. C. H. of Lochloosa, who came to Gainesville for medical treatment, has returned home greatly improved.

For Sale—Cheap—Several mules suitable for farm work. Address Otter Creek Lumber Co., Otter Creek, Florida.

Miss M. Denby left yesterday for Norfolk on the Jamestown Exposition. She expects to be absent several weeks.

For Sale—Two second-hand improved McCarty guns, fair condition; only \$30. J. H. Hickenlooper, Francis, Fla.

Lost—A pointer dog, part of tail cut off, information leading to recovery will be rewarded. J. M. Halle, Gainesville, Fla.

Miss Ag. Pons has returned from High Springs where she has been for the past days on a visit to her friend, Miss Higon.

A. B. Shans and Deputy Sheriff L. T. Stringer were in the city yesterday. Deputy Sheriff Stringer was here on official business.

J. M. T. of Lake View was one of the successful farmers and stock owners who spent yesterday in the county capital on business.

Wm. Shann left Tuesday for Hawthorn on business. Mr. Shann has accepted a position as traveling representative of a large optical house.

Dr. Schl. Micanopy was among those who were in the city yesterday. Dr. Schl. has many friends here who are glad to see him.

Miss S. of this city but now residing in High Springs, has returned to her home there, after a brief but pleasant visit to friends here.

W. D. F. and family, who have been residing some time near Alachua, have returned to this city. Friends are glad to welcome them.

Mrs. C. of this city was among those who favored Gainesville friends with a visit to the returning yesterday to her home.

Miss Sally Clellan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Clellan, has gone to Florida, where for the next few weeks she will be the guest of relatives.

F. M. Y. of Melrose, member of the firm Melrose Manufac-

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turing Company, naval stores and ber, was transacting business in city yesterday.

R. G. Mingledorf, a prominent trucker of Lochloosa, was in the city yesterday. He has just returned to the Jamestown Exposition and points, where he declares he had best time of his life.

Sam Leonard was in the city yesterday visiting his mother. He has returned from Asheville and points in North and South Carolina where he spent his vacation. Many friends are glad to see him looking so well.

Conductor C. A. Marks of the board Air Line has returned to home at Waldo, after an extended vacation, during which he visited parents at his old home in Mead. He reports a fine trip, and now feels more like work.

Miss Blanche Warren left yesterday for Jasper, where she will be guest of relatives for an indefinite period. Miss Blanche has just returned from a pleasant visit to the Jamestown Exposition, being accompanied by Mrs. O. B. Bailey.

Mesdames O. B. Thomas, W. Garrett, C. F. Goodman and M. Thomas, a quartette of Gainesville ladies who have been sojourning in Waynesville, N. C., for the past weeks, have gone to Asheville, where they will remain until time to return home.

D. Mc. Phifer, a well-known operator of Windsor, was visiting relatives in this city yesterday. Mr. Phifer reports cotton in his section growing rapidly, the fields now being with the staple. The farmers' picking, but so far no ginning has been done.

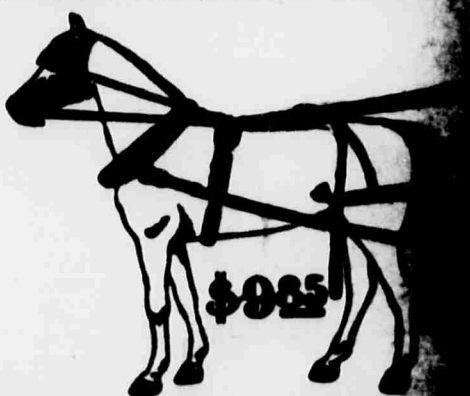
Col. Robt. E. Davis left yesterday for Jacksonville, where he will meet his wife and son, who have been spending the summer with relatives and friends in Virginia. They are expected home today, and will be warmly welcomed by their numerous friends here.

Miss Bessie Wals, after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Robert Barton, at Rocky Point, passed through the city Tuesday en route to her home at Hawthorn. Miss Wals is quite a favorite among the people of Rocky Point, and was greatly missed by them.

Chas. S. Hill, civil engineer for Cummer Lumber Company, is in the city for two or three days. Mr. Hill, who is now at Lawley, will leave Tuesday next for Palmetto, where he will attend the wedding of her brother J. Pope Harlee. The name of prospective bride Mr. Hill did not learn.

Marvin S. Phifer has returned from a business trip to Alachua. Mr. Phifer, who has been employed by P. Bros., New York Racket, in this city for some time, has decided to go out on "his own hook," and has accepted Alachua as his point. He expects to establish an early date to establish a to-date general mercantile establishment in that town, and friends predict for him splendid success from the beginning.

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